

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In a video tape recorder, a digital AV signal which is A/D-converted by an A/D converting section 12 is separated into a video signal and an audio signal by an audio-video separating section 131. In response to a selection operation on an operating section 19, the separated digital video and audio signals by an editing section 132 are edited and then recorded on a hard disk 14.

The digital video and audio signals which are obtained by performing a reproducing process on the hard disk 14 are supplied by the editing section 132 to an audio-video multiplexing section 134. The digital video and audio signals are multiplexed by the audio-video multiplexing section 134, and then recorded on a D-video tape 15.